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Customer No.: 22846

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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SIR :

In response to the election of species requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed May 14, 2009, the term for response to which expires on June 14, 2009, applicant hereby elects to prosecute in this application, Species II drawn to a method in which the fluid is introduced over the guidewire. Claims 7-10, 12, 13, 29, 34, 38-40 and 42 are generic to both Species I and II and claims 31-33 and 35-37 are specific to Species II so that claims 7-10, 12, 13, 29, 31-40 and 42 encompass the elected species.

An early and favorable action on the merits of the elected invention is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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